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LOCAL JOTTINGS

Mr. J. Saunders returned on Sunday from a three week's trip into Southern Alberta. He reports that crop conditions are about the same as they are here.

Don't forget the lecture in the lecture in the Methodist Church on Thursday evening.

Various arguments are put up from time to time as to why young fellows leave the farm for the town. Nothing is said, however, as to why they leave the farm for the town. Especially for week-end visits.

We got classed among the heathen last week for advertising that the Methodist Sunday School would hold a picnic at the river on Sunday. How terrible.

We received information this week that Mr. H. C. Clark, Principal of the Public School, has joined the ranks of the Benedicts.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher left on Friday for a few days at Banff.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the Methodist Church at 11 a.m. next Sunday. Mr. Berry will preach on the subject "The New Day—A new Heaven and a new Earth," at Namaka at 2:30 and at Strathmore at 7:30.

From baseball player to nurse is quite a jump, but the young man we have in mind, seems to be quite at home.

Dr. Girvin wishes to announce that he will be absent from Strathmore from August 26th inst. for the space of one week.

Mr. Frank Harriman, Bill Frederick and E. E. Thompson took a joy ride in a "Tin Lizzie" over considerable north country last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Boortz and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Thompson spent a most enjoyable time at the home of Mr. Haaseth on Sunday.

The marriage took place at St. John's Church, Bromley, Kent, England, on July 3rd, between Miss Ellen Lavina Clutterbuck, B.A., and Lieut. W. Jones, Canadian Signals. Sergt. H. Jones acted as best man. Lieut. Jones was at one time principal of the Strathmore Public School.

In a letter received from Sergeant Mackenzie, the 'Chief' having met Willie (ay), Leonard Crossley and Charlie Cole in Branshott Camp, England. Mac has recovered from his wounds but the exposure in the trenches last winter has played havoc with his legs and he does not know when he will see the front again.

Who was the young man who called round to see 'her' one night last week thinking "Paw" was out? Paw happened to be home, however, and the young man departed, sadder, but wiser, and with the prints of Paw's No. Ten's visibly marked on the seat of his Sunday best.

School Board Meeting

A meeting of the School Board was held on Thursday, there being present: Trustees Seymour (chairman), Anderson, Luck and Bolton; and the Secretary, G. H. Hill.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted on the motion of Trustees Anderson and Luck.

It was moved by Trustees Luck and Bolton that E. E. Zerkle's tender for coal be accepted.

All of the teaching staff have signed on for another year with the exception of Miss Wilson. After some discussion it was moved by Trustees Luck and Bolton that all accounts be paid.

The question of decorating the school was then brought forward and after considerable discussion it was decided that all decorating to be done at the School be subject to tenders and according to specifications, estimates to be called for through the medium of the Strathmore Standard.

It was agreed to rent the house in the School grounds for \$5.00 per month.

At this juncture the clock struck twelve and a motion to adjourn was received with acclamation.

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With this in view, let us do some serious thinking while we mobilize the during coming week, for the

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The spirit of the Orient has been injected in many smart models, and one illustration of this fact is to be found in the black-and-white satin model with its rolled brim, full crown and colorful tassels dangling from the side.

